

## Chamber of Commerce Has Its Annual Dinner

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to the importance of a highway system that shall serve the humble and the strong alike for better transportation.

**The Railroads.** The railroad problem is today worthy of the best thought of the nation, for a solution that shall be just and equitable for all. Stocks and bonds are held beyond value. Will it be necessary to squeeze out the water and get to a fair valuation on all or shall we overlook the past and accept conditions as they are, to protect the large army of investors who purchased in good faith on a wrong basis when the railroad interests almost dominated business and the government itself.

"The ignorant or demagogic agitator is often more dangerous than the able schemer and scoundrel. The sincere carelessness or ignorant disinterestedness of the former matters headlessly the seed of distrust and discontent; the selfish purposes of the other are incubated in the secret dark places where frequently never reach the stage where they become dangerous to the community.

**Mexican Situation.** "You have at your door a situation that is the culmination of a policy of repression and favoritism, not often equalled in the world's history. The whirlwind of discontent is now being reaped by those who have reaped their sowing and the harvest of death and destruction may continue much longer. New Mexico's position is much the same as yours. We also have a Mexican border.

"What shall the United States do to protect itself and help the condition of our struggling neighbor? Shall a wise policy of even handed justice to the people of Mexico, or a policy that is dictated by the best citizen-ship of all the states, and have here a modern city with all that the name implies, most surely exemplifies the best spirit of citizenship shown at any point of the compass. John P. Mitchell could learn of Henry Kelly how to run a city or out graft, or Boston could learn how to make a clean town.

**Willard E. Holt's Address.** Willard E. Holt, secretary of the chamber of commerce, of Deming, spoke in part as follows:

"The spirit of the men who grace this banquet board, and who have in a few years attracted the best citizenship of all the states, and have here a modern city with all that the name implies, most surely exemplifies the best spirit of citizenship shown at any point of the compass. John P. Mitchell could learn of Henry Kelly how to run a city or out graft, or Boston could learn how to make a clean town.

**Jaques and El Paso.** "I am amazed that this city can look with complacency on a dozen revolutions going on all at once, and not allow it to turn a hair or change the onward march of progress. Every time Jaques falls, a new skyscraper goes up in El Paso, or the people vote to build a million bonds for some new public building, and I want to say to you my good neighbors, that where you erect magnificent school buildings, splendid churches, temples representing the different fraternal orders and majestic buildings, the housing of public offices and public records, it is a safe place to move into, and it is a place to invite your best friends to come to.

**Live Boosters All in West.** "On the dead, my friends, I never saw a genuine booster in the whole live wire booster east of the Mississippi river. They just simply can't grow there; the climate won't permit it.

"Actually, fellow boosters, you could bury Niagara falls in the Elephant Butte reservoir, and not see the head stick up above water. Through the magic of the pump and the genius of the dam builders, we are making this one of the vast agricultural empires of our country, and out of those rocks, we are making more money than some of the old granite bill states are worth, and it is the spirit of the southwest that is making this a great and marvelous work. We are showing the world that irrigation farming is the only almost sure safe method of all getting on the right side of the weather clerk.

**Spirit of the Southwest.** "The spirit of the southwest unites titles and states for one common purpose. Witness the fact that Deming says to McAdoo, 'I go where El Paso goes.' New Mexico says to Arizona, 'I go where Texas goes.' I go where Texas goes.

"The spirit of the southwest mines with the steam shovel and the dynamite pick. It harnesses the river and holds the floods in subjection to its will. It taps the underground and brings up water where it has never brought down. It is interesting to know that New Mexico was practicing irrigation three centuries before Columbus. He held of the queen's jewelry to make a boat, and so we are not really new to the game but we are just an improved edition of an old print. Pumping machinery used to be shipped into El Paso by the car load, and when the Elephant Butte is completed, they will have enough reserve power to pump all the water in every valley tributary to the Pecos River.

**Deming as a Booster.** "The board of directors of the Deming chamber of commerce of this week passed a resolution that every farmer who put in an approved silo and plant the necessary crops for ensilage would be mailed a check for \$10 in appreciation of his good sense. That is the kind of spirit that the southwest develops—everybody wants to see everybody else succeed.

"When Goetzels gets that Panama canal in running order, you will see the greatest influx of tourists into this nation into our section of the country that it has ever known. The ones who have been going to the south here, but when the influx comes, we are sure to get the cream of what is left.

"I heartily congratulate the spirit of El Paso in planning for a greater city. In fact, a magnificent metropolitan city, your new boulevard will be a pride to the whole southwest, and your clean civic conditions will be the admiration of the continent."

**The Gridiron.** "The Gridiron session was next opened and proved the splendid diversion that was expected. Norman M. Walker, who so successfully planned the affair, acted as interlocutor and introduced the various participants.

"Dixie" opened the first part of the minstrel. The Gridiron quartet, composed of Parviz White, W. H. MacCallum, Charles Bokah, and Matthew Lemen, sang plantation melodies behind the big flag curtain. As the quartet swung into the "Dixie" the spotlight was thrown on the flag which waved gently to get the effect of the breeze blowing from the back. The curtain went up with the entire company singing "Dixie" led by the quartet.

Eugene Harris opened the Gridiron session with a joke on a National. "Does you know Uncle Joe National?" "Yes, why?"

"He's the meanest man in town," said Harris. "I went into his butcher shop to get 10 cents worth of pork meat and he asked me would I have it wrapped up or would I eat it there."

Gordon Perry then put "Key Rate" Charlie Stevens on the fire and panned him. "Last Sunday he took his wife up the valley to spend the day; at breakfast there was no honey on the table and Charlie is very fond of honey," said Perry.

"Where's my money this morning?" he asked the butcher. "Ah, the done quit work here a week and the money answered."

George Evans, director of the cham-

## A Great Buying Time For You Thrifty Men

YOU can make your dollars do extra duty now-a-days, during this time of season's clearance in our store; we're really anxious to clean up on all winter goods to make a clear field for Spring.

Just look at the prices we're quoting on Hart Schaffner & Marx, Rogers Peet and Fitform clothes; that shows how glad we are to make a real clearance; goods like these are always worth the price; and any time you can get them at less than the regular prices you'd better do it. Good clothes and lots of other things clearing



# ROGERS FURNITURE CO

### Unheard of Low Prices at Our Heart Winning Sale.

This sale will last only a few days longer and tomorrow should be one of the days you take advantage of this great opportunity to buy furniture.

### Heart Winning Sale Rocking Chairs

We are headquarters for Rockers! For many years our line of rocking chairs has been considered the largest and best in El Paso. During this sale, all samples and odd rockers must go, regardless of cost.

Golden oak rockers, wood seat, were \$2.50; now...	\$2.25
Golden oak rockers, leatherette seat, were \$4.00; now...	\$2.75
Golden oak rockers, wood seat, were \$4.50; now...	\$2.95
Golden oak rockers, wood seat, were \$5.00; now...	\$3.25
Mission rockers, leatherette seat, were \$6.00; now...	\$4.25
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Mission rockers, leatherette seat, were \$7.50; now...	\$5.00
Mission rockers, genuine leather spring seat, were \$9.00; now...	\$6.75
Mission or golden oak rockers, spring seat, were \$12.00; now...	\$7.95
Mission or golden oak rockers, spring seat, were \$15.00; now...	\$9.85
Mission or golden oak rockers, spring seat, were \$20.00; now...	\$14.50
Mission or golden oak rockers, spring seat, were \$25.00; now...	\$17.75
Mission or golden oak rockers, spring seat, were \$30.00; now...	\$19.65
Full leather upholstered rockers, were \$40.00; now...	\$27.75
Full leather Turkish rockers, were \$60.00; now...	\$42.00

To increase the number of Saturday shoppers we offer this Extra Special:

### EXTRA SPECIAL

Solid oak taborette, very strong and well finished, comes in golden oak, fumed oak, or Early English.

Extra Special 45c  
Rogers Furniture Co.  
10 N. STANTON ST.

## Charge Purchases Made Saturday Will Appear on February Bills

This Store With the Exception of the Men's Department Closes Saturday Nights at 8:30 o'clock. The Men's Department Remains Open Until 10 P. M.

## Main Floor Specials

WOMEN'S KID GLOVES—Women's two clasp kid gloves, in black and white only. 48c

Saturday Special  
WOMEN'S KID GLOVES—16 button length kid gloves, in black and white only. Saturday Special \$1.50

(We do not fit, guarantee or exchange special sale gloves.)

NEW ARRIVALS IN NECKWEAR—Dainty shadow, flat lace, embroidered and net Dutch and sailor collars, collar and cuff sets, fichus and Medici effects, in white, cream and some embroidered in colors. Price range 25c to \$3.50

HANDKERCHIEFS—Women's linen and Shamrock lawn handkerchiefs, in wide and narrow hemstitched white and colored borders. Large, medium and small white and colored embroidered initials. Values up to 25c. Saturday Special 12 1/2c

VEILING REMNANTS—Chiffon and novelty veiling remnants in lengths from 1 to 2 yards, at practically one-half the original value.

NEW NOVELTY RIBBONS—Roman stripes, plaid and brocade effects. Yard 50c

to \$1.00

VEILING—All silk barge motor veiling, absolutely dust proof, comes in black and the most wanted colors. Saturday Special, yard 59c

VELLS—Full size silk chiffon and novelty shadow lace drapes veils. Special 95c

Toilet Goods

Euthymol tooth paste ..... 17c  
4 oz. bottles Osborn's peroxide ..... 5c  
Pinaud's Eau "De" Quinine hair tonic, 1.00 size ..... 75c  
Evening Jasmine face powder ..... 38c  
Pure mercolized wax ..... 65c  
"Frostilla" for chapped hands and face ..... 18c  
Williams talcum powder ..... 15c

Hosiery and Underwear

WOMEN'S SAMPLE HOSE—Cotton and lisle, in black, white and colors. Regular 25c and 35c values. Saturday Special, 19c

WOMEN'S SAMPLE HOSE—Silk lisle and silk boot hose, in plain, lace and embroidered designs; black, white and colors. Regular 50c values. Saturday Special, 29c

WOMEN'S UNION SUITS—Fine cotton ribbed; ankle and knee lengths; plain and umbrella styles. 50c values. Saturday Special, 39c

WOMEN'S SILK VESTS—Pure Milan silk, in white and pink, with dainty embroidered yokes. Saturday Special, 17c

Specials from the Jewelry Dept.

MESH BAGS—Made of German silver; size 3 1/2 to 6 1/2 inches. \$2.25 and \$2.50 values. Saturday Special, 1.65

SAUTIER CHAINS—Made of moire ribbons and gold top ornaments. Regular 75c values. Saturday Special, 45c

SLIPPER BUCKLES—Cut steel slipper buckles. Regular 75c values. Extra Special Saturday, a pair 45c

Matchless Values In the Basement

WHITE OIL CLOTH—This will be sold in the Basement all day Saturday at, 19c

(No phone orders filled.)

FLANNELETTE DRESSING SACKS—50c value ..... 39c  
75c value ..... 59c  
1.00 value ..... 79c

EMBROIDERIES and Laces

EMBROIDERY—45 inch embroidery voile flouncing, in the new 1914 patterns. Special Saturday, a yard 95c

EMBROIDERY—Narrow baby embroidery edges with insertions to match; dainty new patterns; values to 50c at, 25c

LACES—French and German Val insertions, in pleasing patterns. Values to \$1.50 bolt. Saturday Special, 20c

Linoleum

1.65 Inlaid Linoleum ..... \$1.45  
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1.20 Inlaid Linoleum ..... .98c  
75c Printed Linoleum ..... .60c  
65c Printed Linoleum ..... .50c  
Laid on your floor free.

The Popular DRY GOODS CO. INC.

## Specials for Saturday

WE ARE going to make Saturday, the last business day of the month, a busy day in all departments, for we are determined to wind up the month of January with a record-breaking showing. In order to accomplish this purpose we offer some remarkable price concessions on the newest and most wanted merchandise. Such values as these are sure to keep this store crowded all day Saturday. Read over these items. You'll be here, too.

### A Sensation in Corsets All Our \$5.00 Corsets Saturday at \$3.95



Let Madame Tinch Our Expert Corsetiere Fit the Proper Corset To Your Figure

\$5.00 Gossard Lace Front.....  
\$5.00 American Lady.....  
\$5.00 Madame Lyra.....  
\$5.00 Smart Set.....  
\$5.00 Madame Mariette.....  
\$5.00 La Vida and Nemo.....

\$7.95 Emb. Net Dresses \$4.95

Only a Limited Number—So Hurry

LOVELY white embroidered net dresses in the L\* wanted two tiered and various other styles; some with accordion pleated flounces; low neck, elbow length sleeves, ribbon sashes. Dresses that are worth regularly \$7.95. Saturday Special, each \$4.95

Women's Shirts Worth up to \$1.95 for 95c

YOUR choice of a huge assortment of women's French Flannel, Madras, and Soisette Shirts, in plain white and grey and white grounds with various colored black stripes, soft detached collar and French turn-back cuffs. Values, up to \$1.95. Special Saturday ..... 95c

Specials From the Children's Department

WHITE LAWN DRESSES—A very pretty, delicate and dainty showing of white lawn dresses, trimmed with embroidery, lace and ribbons; sizes 2 to 6 years. Saturday Special ..... 79c

INFANTS' HEADWEAR—Our entire stock of infants' silk and knit caps. Saturday Special, 25 Percent Off

INFANTS' KNIT SHIRTS AND BANDS—The celebrated "Supreme" and "Carier" brands—

Regular 25c values, special ..... 19c  
Regular 50c values, special ..... 39c  
Regular 75c values, special ..... 59c

INFANTS' KNIT SACKS—Trimmed in pink and baby blue. A very attractive showing. Regular 50c value ..... 39c

INFANTS' FLANNELETTE GOWNS AND KIMONOS—in pink, light blue and white; regular 50c value. Special ..... 39c

EXCELLENT Values in White Goods and Linens

ALL LINEN TABLE NAPKINS—A very special item and only 50 doz. to sell at the price advertised. Heavy double damask, neat small figures; sizes 20x22 and 22x22. Regular \$3.50 doz. value; per doz. \$2.25

ALL LINEN TOWELS—Hemstitched or hemmed, silver bleached. Serviceable and strong, but at the same time the pretty luster of an all linen towel. Regular 35c quality, per doz. \$3.50

WHITE CREPES—For dresses and fine underwear; comes in plain, both sheer and medium grade, fancy figure and stripe. Save ironing. Special, up to 40c value, yard, 29c

IMPORTED NOVELTY WHITE CREPE—Plain crepe de chine weave, very fine emb. effects, Ratine stripes, small figure. Regular 75c and 85c values, yard ..... 69c

WASH GOODS—Special 15c table of wash goods, including linens, regens, poplins, etc. 25c and 30c goods, yard 19c

TABLE LINEN REMNANTS—All prices represented here, in lengths from 1 1/2 yards to 3 1/2 yards. Some of our most beautiful and exclusive weaves to be found on this table. Prices greatly reduced.

Prices Drop Again in the Boys' Store

NORFOLK SUITS—Special windup prices on boys' Norfolk Suits, in weights suitable for immediate use; sizes 5 to 18 years. \$8.50 values ..... \$5.95

\$10.00 values ..... \$6.95  
\$12.50 values ..... \$7.95  
\$16.50 values ..... \$9.95

(No blues or blacks)

SUITS—Extra special values in Boys' Double Breasted Knicker Suits, in greys and browns; sizes 13 to 17 years only. Values to \$6.50, in 2 lots ..... \$1.95 & 2.95

BLOUSES—Twenty dozen more of those laundered Blouses in neck-band styles only; sizes 6 to 15 yrs.; light or dark patterns, or all white. Three for ..... \$1.00

BOYS' KNICKERS—in fancy woollens or navy serge. 75c quality ..... 59c

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NEW SPRING SUITS—We are ready to show new Spring Suits for boys, all in Norfolk styles, in sizes 4 to 18 years, in modern creations of new coloring, novel effects in pleatings, new arrangements of belts; weaves and workmanship better than ever before, and best of all, prices lower than they have been in several seasons past, on account of tariff reduction on wool. Ask to see them, as well as the new 1914 Blouses, Headwear and other furnishings.

For Saturday's Selling Only—\$4.00 Black Satin Shoes \$1.95

WOMEN'S good quality black satin, button shoes, made with turn sole and covered heel. All sizes in the lot. This is a rare opportunity to procure a pair of satin shoes at an insignificant price. Foot-wear worth regularly \$4.00 a pair. While they last Saturday, come choose from the lot at, a pair.....

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## After Supper Sale 6 to 8:30

ALMOND CREAM—Hind's Honey and Almond Cream—the ideal skin preserver and beautifier. After Supper Special, a bottle (Limit one bottle) 35c

LISTERINE—Lambert's Listerine—the regular \$1.00 bottles. After Supper Sale, a bottle (Limit one bottle) 69c

MEN'S HOSE—Men's Lisle Hose with reinforced linen heels and toes, in tan and black only. After Supper Sale, 6 pairs for ..... 65c

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After Supper Specials 3x7 ft. Shades - - 25c 3x6 ft. Shades - - 20c Complete With Fixtures